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CROSSFIELD, ALBERTA, FRIDAY, AUGUST 10th, 1917.

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## WM. LAUT

### THE Lighter Day Range

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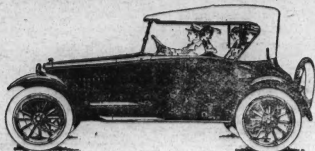
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### Local and General:

At a meeting of the Liberal Association held in Crossfield on Thursday evening last Alex. Gordon and W. Lowe, were chosen as delegates to the Liberal conference being held in Winnipeg during this week.

Mr. Botterill, who has been acting as manager at the Western Canada Elevator, and his son Charlie, left on Wednesday evening to take up a similar position at Pincher Creek.

W. Dixon, late assistant at local C.P.R. depot, has been transferred to Didsbury.

Bunk Coffin is the latest possessor of a Ford car, Leslie Farr completed the deal on Friday last.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. McRory paid a visit to Crossfield last week prior to going down east on their vacation.

Mr. A. A. Halliday and E. C. Dungan made a car trip to Champigny on Sunday last.

Church of the Ascension.—10th Sunday after Trinity, August 12th.

8 a.m. Holy Communion.

10 a.m. Sunday School.

11 a.m. Morning Prayer and Holy Baptism.

Rev. H. M. Horricks left town on Monday to attend the conference at Edmonton University.

W. Tims is receiving congratulations on the birth of a son. George had better look to his laurels now, with the promise of a young butcher on the scene.

Mr. J. W. McIntosh, late of the local bank, now of the Eckville branch, was a visitor in town on Tuesday evening and Wednesday.

Mrs. Laithwaite and children of Fernie, B.C., are visiting Mrs. Belshaw.

Mrs. G. A. Bishop, of Calgary, is visiting her brother W. Urquhart for a few days.

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The parents and children of the Primary Department at our local school will be pleased to know the trustees have been fortunate in re-engaging Miss Gesner. She is acknowledged to be a very able and efficient teacher, and has been most successful in her work amongst the children. Mr. Morrow will be the Principal. The school will re-open towards the end of the present month.

Mr. W. Urquhart has just purchased a two-year old Hereford bull, Willow Springs Perfection, from Frank Collicutt. This bull won the first prize as a yearling at Calgary and Edmonton last yearling.

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Lost.—On Friday, June 22nd, between Crossfield and D. K. Fike's corner, a Black Rubber Wrap Bag, green lined. Finder please leave at Wicks Livery Barn.

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## Britain Looks to Canada for Food

"We look to the resources of Canada,  
and to the indomitable energy of Cana-  
dians for an answer that will shatter  
Germany's threat of starvation," says  
Baron Rhonda, Food Controller of Great  
Britain in a message to Hon. W. J. Hanna,  
Food Controller of Canada.

"The primary duty of a Food Con-  
troller in Canada and the United States,"  
said Hon. W. J. Hanna, in a recent in-  
terview "is to see that the men at the  
front do not suffer for want of food, and  
that our Mother Country and our European  
Allies should not suffer from want of food."

"Have you power to check prices?"  
Hon. W. J. Hanna was asked.

"Certainly."  
"Are you going to exercise it?"

"In the cases where we have the nec-  
essary data we will not hesitate to check  
prices," declared Mr. Hanna.

Sir William Hearst, Premier of Ontario,  
fears that the shortage of food supplies  
will hinder the Allies in winning the war.  
We must look calmly and fearlessly  
at the present situation. Unless there is  
greater thrift, economy and conservation  
of food, there will be a shortage of sup-  
plies to Great Britain and her Allies that  
will hinder her chances of winning the  
war," said Premier Hearst.

"The majority of people eat too much,  
anyway," said Miss Edlie, Professor of  
Homehold Science at the Manitoba Agri-  
cultural College, when discussing the  
Canadian Food Controller's suggestion  
that hotels and restaurants institute two  
meals days per week. "And limiting  
hotel menus to two or three courses is a  
fine idea."

## Canada

### In Memory of Her Boys Who Paid the Price

My tears are yours, O Canada!  
My heart goes out to you.  
Bereaved of your joyous boys,  
The generous and true;  
But you, sore-smitten Canada,  
Be gallant in your grief,  
Put on no sombre mourning garb,  
Wear you the Maple Leaf.

The freshness of its springtime green  
Is symbol of their youth.

The glory of its title at Fall  
Their sacrifice for Truth—

That truth that men must offer all  
That home and kin be free:

Be very glad, dear Canada,  
Your lads such truth could see.

And oh, be sure their spirit-eyes  
Are not a will less clear,

Be sure they witness all you do  
With things they held so dear,—

You have your homes and liberties  
Because they paid the price;

Be worthy of your splendid lads  
Who made the sacrifice.

Be very proud, O Canada,  
Because they were so swift,

Wasted no time in counting cost,  
But gave their golden gift,

For them no black weeds brought  
forth,

No dismal bells be tolled,  
Be such for them, the dead-in-life,

Whose hearts grew early old.  
But for your lads memorial,

A better thing than tears,  
See you be worthy of your gifts  
Through all your coming years.

And Maple Leaf for symbol sweet,  
Dear Lady of the Snows

Though every sorely stricken heart  
An empty aching knows.

O parents, sisters, sweethearts,  
friends,

How God has loved each lad  
Because each offered cheerfully

The utmost that he had;  
Therefore, to all I dare to say

For comfort in your grief,  
God loves your cheerful-giving lads  
Who wore the Maple Leaf.

Their dear home-words, their jests  
and pranks

Their heart-remembered ways,  
The joyous wisdom of their youth,

Tell all unto their praise;

But for yourselves, lift up your  
hearts

To God who made them so—  
Pray "Keep us worthy of our Boys  
Who were so keen to go."

And I, who mingle tears with yours,  
Know something of your grief—  
For one who was no more a Boy  
I wear the Maple Leaf,—

I weep for you, but not for him;  
For him I have this joy,  
As young of heart, so cheerfully,  
He went to save a Boy.

5th June, 1917.

JESSIE ANNIE ANDERSON.

The above lines were sent to a parent  
in Canada, whose boy, Arthur Richards,  
a young surveyor in charge of a party  
laying a railway behind the lines for big  
guns, a little west of Arras, was killed  
on April 4th. The writer's brother who  
spent many years in Canada, went to the  
front to take the place of a younger man  
and he was killed April 9th. He was  
known as "Mac" and his name was  
Charles Anderson. Jessie Anderson  
is the "Ella Wheeler Wilcox" of Scot-  
land. She resides in Aberdeen.

German Food Gets  
Rapidly Scarcer

Reports from Germany show the steady  
disintegration of national confidence in  
the food supply. The Berlin trade unions  
visited Chancellor Michaelis, demanding  
more food, and several assurances which  
the Chancellor later had to admit could  
not be remedied.

The workers then demanded that the  
representatives of the Miners' Unions in  
the Prussian Food Controller's office mem-  
orize the Chancellor, threatening im-  
mediate reduction in the coal output unless  
there was more food throughout the  
country.

Undersized potatoes are being dug ex-  
tensively and sold at extravagant prices,  
injure the crop prospects. Orders that  
consumers must not buy more than two  
pounds of fruit are being disregarded  
utterly, the people buying all they possi-  
bly can and frequently destroying it  
when it is rumoured the inspectors are  
able to investigate.

The rich buy and hide all they can get,  
leaving the markets bare when the poor  
apply.

A Dusseldorf paper declares everybody  
is violating the regulations, even cities  
competing to obtain and store supplies;  
exporting districts prohibiting exportation  
and importing districts offering extra  
prices. The municipality of Bremen  
offered potato growers of Hanover an  
enormous price for new potatoes. The  
Hanover food authorities were promptly threat-  
ened to prohibit exports unless the Bremen  
offer be withdrawn.

Long ago the Food Controllers prom-  
ised to increase the bread ration on August  
15th, and said there would be no reduc-  
tion in meat rations until then. Now it  
is announced that the promise cannot be  
kept. The bread ration will remain  
stationary and the meat ration will be  
reduced sharply. Recently Saxony sharply  
reduced the meat ration, causing intense  
Socialist dissatisfaction.

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inion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or  
Alberta. Applicant must appear in  
person at the Dominion Lands Agency or  
Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by  
proxy may be made at any Dominion  
Lands Agency (but not Sub-Agency), on  
certain conditions.

Duties—Six months' residence upon  
cultivation of the land in each of  
three years. A homesteader may live  
within nine miles of his homestead on a  
farm of at least 80 acres, on certain con-  
ditions. A habitable house is required  
except where residence is performed in the  
vicinity.

In certain districts a homesteader in  
good standing may pre-empt a quarter-  
section alongside his homestead. Price  
\$3.00 per acre.

Duties—Six months residence in each  
of three years after earning homestead  
patent; also 50 acres extra cultivation.  
Pre-emption patent may be obtained as  
soon as homestead patent, on certain  
conditions.

A settler who has exhausted his home-  
stead right may take a purchased home-  
stead in any district. Price \$3.00  
per acre. Duties—Must reside six  
months in each of three years, cultivate  
50 acres and erect a house worth  
\$500.00.

The area of cultivation is subject to  
reduction in case of rough, stony or scrubby  
land. Live stock may be substituted for  
cultivation under certain conditions.

W. W. CORY, C.M.G.,  
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.

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No.  49

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## Council Meetings

The council of the Village of Crossfield  
will meet in the Council Chamber over  
Fire Hall on the first Monday of each  
month, commencing with February at  
the hour of 4 o'clock p.m.

By Order of the Village Council.

51-55. W. McHory, Sec.-Treas.

Crossfield School District No. 752

The REGULAR MEETINGS of the above  
school Board will be held at the School  
House at 10 a. m. on the first Saturday  
in the following months: January, March,  
May, July, September and November.

All matters of business pertaining to  
this district will be attended to at this  
meeting.

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A. R. Thomas, Chairman.

Merrick Thomas, Sec.-Treas.

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## CYMRO

[13515]

Light Bay, face and legs white, foaled  
June 13th, 1911, bred by P. M. Brett and  
Sons Regina, Sask., foaled the property  
of P. G. Swann, Crossfield, Alta.

SIRE: Trojan (imp) [8316] (1922)

DAM: Belle Sirdar (8677)

This is to certify that the above pedigree  
is on record in volume 21.

Approved W. A. Clemens, for Minister of  
Agriculture.

B. E. Martinette, pro Registrar.

Ottawa, Canada, April 26th, 1912.

Government of the Province of Alberta

Department of Agriculture

No. 1388

**CERTIFICATE OF PURE BRED**

**STALLION**

The Pedigree of the Stallion CYMRO

[13515]

Has been examined in the department  
and I hereby certify that the said stallion  
is of pure breeding, and is registered in  
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(Continued.)

Dolly was continued of sketching children. She had a deftness and humor in presenting these bunched-up long-legged children of the rich and the aristocracy which was really distinguished. Her studies of the children in their wide-spreading frocks, with their Pons and the white-collared nurses, had a French brilliancy and gaiety. Lionel Egerton had prophesied great things for Dolly if she would only work her art of presenting those delightful babies and their accessories.

She was laughing when Kate let her, with irresistible gaiety at a child who had dropped her shoe in the water and was being scolded by her nurse. The little lady had reddish-brown eyes and hair, and a small, pale face. She looked so demurely, as she stood in her rilly frock, looking up at her nurse, that Dolly, hasting to sketch her, was bubbling over with laughter. She had made friends with the nurses, to whom she would display her sketches, so that she might laugh till she was weary without offending anybody.

Mrs. Bartlett was absent longer than she had meant to be. She had had some difficulty in procuring one of her ingredients. She was vexed at the delay, and whereas since she had left Silverdale behind her she had been forgetting her sorrows and allowing herself to be happy, the strangest sense of depression or discouragement had come upon her after she left her young art in the Gardens. She had been forgetting that danger existed. Now it came back to her with a sudden coldness that Miss Egerton might still be in danger.

By the time she arrived in sight of the Round Pond the nurses and children were going home to nursery dinner. A good many had already departed. A cold east wind had sprung up, shaking the leaves from the boughs. The sky was suffused with a hard greyness. The dust began to rise in little swirls and eddies. Without the sunshine the Gardens looked grey and chilly enough.

Why—where was Miss Dolly? Mrs. Bartlett looked in stupefaction at the seat where she had left her young lady sitting. There was no one there now. She looked about her eagerly, pushing up her veil because the blue shade of it hindered her vision while it disguised the scars on her face; she looked in all directions. There was no Miss Dolly. Had she found it too cold and gone back to the studio? That must be it! The wind was certainly very nipping for September.

While she stood there the last of the mail-carts and the nurses and children passed through the gates. Those whom Mrs. Bartlett had seen were strangers to her; none of the friendly group that used to gather round to inspect Miss Dolly's pictures and to pose Miss Betty or Master Peter as she wished them to stand.

She looked about her helplessly. She wished she had thought of asking one of the nurses. She said to herself that Miss Dolly would have left a message, would not have frightened her by leaving her to find her seat empty. Then she reminded herself that of course Miss Dolly would know that her going away would cause such terror as was making Mrs. Bartlett's heart beat fast and her hands turn cold and clammy. Miss Dolly knew her way about London very well, especially about these parts. She would have felt the wind keen and gone back to the studio, leaving perhaps a message with the friendly nurses which they had not waited to deliver.

She wished now that she had not gone so far in search of that particular ingredient for the veil to be laid before the Squire, of which he would never know the composition, being so much in love.

Miss Dolly would be waiting her lunch, too. Mrs. Bartlett started to walk towards the gate, feeling that everything were a blighted look, without thinking upon the east wind. She almost reached the gate when one of the under-nurses who had been sitting on the same seat with Dolly, coming back for something, met her face to face.

"That child, Billy, 'as lost 's Teddy

Bear," she said, "an' ther won't be catin' nor drinkin' nor sleepin' for that child till that 'orrid thing's been found. He 'ad it there by the pond, last time 'e lost it 'e drove us all silly till 'twas found. His Lordship 'e went into town special and bought a Teddy Bear as like as like from Hamley's, but that there child 'eaved it out of his cot and roared more than ever. I don't know 'ow he knows his own natty Teddy unless it's by the smell, for it is in an 'orrid state, through sharin' Billy's bread and lunch and bein' put to sleep with him. You didn't 'appen to see it?"

"No," said Mrs. Bartlett, "I didn't see it."

She was noticing how the girl's fresh cheeks were puckered and her eyes watering. Had all the world suddenly gone grey?

The under-nurse went on her way, but overtook Mrs. Bartlett in a few seconds. "Teddy's gone," she said, "and a good riddance too. But not one of our people'll sleep tonight. I forgot to tell you that your young lady met a friar after you'd gone and went away with him out of the Gardens."

She glanced curiously at the face under the blue striped veil, which suggested a livid color behind it.

"A friar," said Mrs. Bartlett, turning to her sharply. "What kind of a friar? A very handsome gentleman, tall and slightly grey? Looks as if you're 'aving me," said the nurse. "He were as black as my hat, and had some lovely curls. Grey—not him! He weren't exactly the sort to be your young lady's friend, neither, not to my mind. I've lived in good 'ouses, and I know 'ow's vot. That's why I thought I'd tell you. We waited as long as we could for you to come back."

Mrs. Bartlett uttered such a sound as startled the good-natured, chattering girl.

"You poor soul," she said, "Wet's the matter? Are you feelin' bad?" Mrs. Bartlett supported herself, catching a railing and holding on to it like grim death.

"Which way did she go?" she asked, in a queer thick voice.

"Wot way. Wy, it were a taxi they took. I know a young man that drives a taxi on this rank. Maybe he'd know something if he's not away. They looked a queer couple to be together. We were all agreed on that. Dret the Teddy Bear! Just you wait here till I see if my young man's on the rank."

She came back quickly. They were in luck. Her friend remembered the couple quite well. They had got in to his cab first, but he had only just come back to the rank and his petrol was exhausted. The gentleman would not wait for the tank to be refilled. They had got into another cab. Charing Cross Station was where they wanted to go to.

Mrs. Bartlett had been standing in an attitude so suggestive of illness or intoxication that a young policeman, passing by, stopped for a second to look at her before resuming his slow walk. Suddenly she seemed to brace herself up, to become alert and tense. "Thank you," she said, "I'm all right again. I hope you'll find the Teddy Bear or another as good. I know the man you saw with my young lady. He has been sent by her brother to fetch her home. I only hope the child's not took very bad."

"My young man did say he fancied it was the Continental express; I suppose he were mistaken," the nurse said, turning away, apparently satisfied with the explanation. Mrs. Bartlett took the first taxi on the rank.

"Charing Cross Station," she said. "I want to catch the Continental express. I'll give you a shilling extra if you do it."

The taxi did it, although the porters were slamming the carriage doors by the time she reached the platform. The train was pretty full. She got in where she could.

At Folkestone the cold east wind had turned to cold rain. People had donned overcoats and mackintoshes. The sea looked a livid grey-green color, not reassuring for bad sailors.

(To Be Continued.)

### The German Time-Table

On February 1 it was announced that Britain would be brought to her knees in three months. The Germans have always had some timetable of that kind, and invariably something has gone wrong with the time-table.

The enemy could bring America into the war. He cannot starve us out of it. He can happily compel us to cultivate and economize and revise and re-organize to still better and better purpose than he thought possible. He can rouse America, like British energy and invention, to the very utmost. He can prolong the war, quite contrary to his desperate intention to shorten it. He can inspire the Allies in Europe with a shrewder and more patient tenacity. But he cannot deprive our machines of essential material any more than our people of food, or prevent the Allies and America from accumulating the military force which will settle the war—front the London Observer.

"I can always tell when my husband is going to be close with his money."

"How?"

"By his far-away look when I ask him for some."

Having something for a rainy day is all right, unless it is the rheumatism.

### No Teuton Prince for Dutch

Accident to Queen Starts Move to Settle Question of Succession

One consequence of the train accident in which Queen Wilhelmina had a narrow escape from death will be the passing of a bill settling the question of the succession to the throne of Holland. This is extremely complicated owing to the net of family ties which the reigning family has, especially in Germany. Were Wilhelmina to die before her daughter Juliana, who is now 8 years of age, the question of a regency would become acute, with the result that the next of kin would come to the throne at least temporarily. The next of kin is a prince of Reuss.

Netherlanders do not want a German prince to rule them even temporarily, nor do they want to be caught asleep by an accident which every one hopes is far off, but as was proved by yesterday's event may come at any time. German newspapers, referring to the efforts of the Dutch to settle the matter for themselves, reproach Holland with being tactless in discussing and deciding the succession while the queen is still alive and in good health.

Queen Wilhelmina's behavior in the mishap was admirable. She alighted from the half overturned royal car and helped to bandage the wounded, cheering up everybody. Her calm courage endeared her still more to the Dutch people. Nevertheless, the newspapers are starting a campaign to reach an early settlement of a question so vital to Holland's future.

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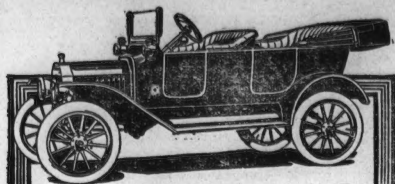
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## Red Cross Notes

The Red Cross acknowledge with thanks the following donations and work.

Beaver Dam Sewing Circle tea \$2.50  
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Inverlea " " 2.60  
Crossfield " " 8.55  
Mrs. Brandon " " 1.00  
" Walroth " " 1.00

Work: Beaver Dam, 17 M.-T. band ages.

Mrs. Jess Havens, 1 suit pyjamas.  
" Havens, Senr., 1 " "  
" Ingham, 1 " "

Floral, 21 trian. bandages, 12 T bandages, 10 M.-T. bandages, 1 suit pyjamas.

Crossfield, 11 M.-T. bandages, 28 T bandages.

Mrs. Wicks, 1 suit pyjamas.  
" Wolodze, 1 " "

" Belahaw, 3 T bandages  
Inverlea, 46 T bandages, 5 M.-T. bandages.

Mrs. Collicutt, 1 suit pyjamas, 6 trian. bandages, 10 pillow slips.

1059 articles were packed ready for shipment to Calgary this week.

The Red Cross Sewing Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Wicks this week.

## Local and General

The W.A. of the Church of the Ascension held a most successful Social evening on Friday last, but owing to the inclemency of the weather it could not be held on Mrs. McFarland's lawn, and Mr. Ontkes kindly gave the use of the L.O.O.F. Hall, which was greatly appreciated. Thanks are due to Mr. Bray for his donation of Japanese lanterns, also Mr. Arnold for his donation of \$5. The committee wish to heartily thank all those who contributed to the success of the evening. Special thanks are due to the Town Band for their valuable assistance.

Union Church.—Service Sunday Evening at 7.30. The Pastor will report of the Conference for Social Leadership, which is being held this week at Alberta University.

This will be of special interest to all organizations looking for a better Alberta.

Say Mr. — your sons and sons-in-law are going to buy the better car for the money. Why not beat him to it and get the better car yourself? You will be dead a long time, while the coming generations are enjoying the fruits of your labor. The SAXON "SIX" is the best made for the money.

Thomas Amery, Agent.

Union Church.—The Rev. C. H. Huestis, M.A., D.D., Secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance, Alberta, will lecture in the Union Church next Monday evening, August 13th, at 8.30 p.m., on "The War and National Problems."

Mr. Huestis is one of the outstanding students of social problems of the west. Everyone would do well to hear him. A collection will be taken at the close of the lecture for the Lord's Day Alliance of Canada.

The storekeepers have had notice this week that it is illegal to sell Patent Medicines, Tonics, Tonic Wines and Essences, or anything which contains more than 2 1/2 per cent. of alcohol.

The following names appear as having been successful in the recent examinations in Grade XI: Ivan Casey, Caroline Onell, Ellen Onell, Mac Ruddy, E. M. Smart, Marie Ontkes, except in history.

To Subscriber.—Appeal next week.—Ed.

Wanted.—Farm Listings, for Sale or Rent, at once.

C. Hultgren.

Lost, Automobile Lamp Rim, between Crossfield and Dog Pound. Finder please notify the Chronicle.

Wanted.—Someone to put up Timothy and Wild Hay by the ton. Thomas Amery.

## NOTICE.

In the matter of the Court of Confirmation of the Tax Enforcement Return of the Village of Crossfield, Alberta.

TAKE NOTICE that His Honor Judge W. Roland Winter, Judge of the District Court of the District of Calgary, will at sittings of the Court on FRIDAY, the FIFTH day of OCTOBER, 1917, confirm the Tax Enforcement Return of the Village of Crossfield.

Dated the 30th day of July, 1917.

W. McRORY,  
Secretary-Treasurer of the Village of Crossfield.

## NOTICE.

In the matter of the Court of Confirmation of the Tax Enforcement Return of the Rural Municipality of Rosebud No. 280.

TAKE NOTICE that His Honor Judge W. Roland Winter, Judge of the District Court of the District of Calgary, will at the Sittings of the Court on FRIDAY, the FIFTH day of OCTOBER, 1917, confirm the Tax Enforcement Return of the Rural Municipality of Rosebud No. 280.

Dated at Crossfield, this 30th day of July, 1917.

W. McRORY,  
Secretary-Treasurer of the Rural Municipality of Rosebud No. 280.

## AUCTION SALE

Horses, Cattle and Sheep.

Monday, August 13th,

Having received instructions from J. E. Banta and R. B. Bates, I will sell by Public Auction, at the R. Bates' Ranch, S.S. Tp. 29, R. 2, w. of 5, six miles south and 1 west of Carstairs, three north and 10 west of Crossfield, the following:

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